

The Federal Communications Commission

Dear The Federal Communications Commission,

I do not want to pay more for my telephone service! I urge you to reject a flat fee proposal that would change how contributions are made to the Universal Service Fund. I am concerned that this proposal could make my current service unaffordable.

Under the flat fee proposal you are considering, people who make few long distance calls would pay the same as people or businesses that make many calls. In other words, low-volume and primarily residential customers would bear the same universal service fund burden as a high-volume residential or business customers. This is unfair!

I use my wireless phone for safety, security and convenience. I don't want to lose these benefits so that big businesses can pay less than their fair share. I urge you to reject the proposal to move the USF collection system to a flat-fee.

Keep the USF Fair!

Hello, I would just list to add a little something myself. My grandparents just got there first cell phone. They have needed one for a while now but with medical bills and prescriptions fund were tight. They finally found a plan they could afford to keep up with.

Now, they live at least 250 miles from any family and for the most part still take care of them selves pretty well. However, due to the distance from all family they still travel regularly. The thought of them having to do this without a phone with them at all times is a little scary, especially since they were hit in a car accident several years ago and both had sever injuries. All I can think is what if they were on one of those quiet country road when it happened without a phone.

I just felt I needed to share my feelings on this matter. Thank You.

Sincerely,

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